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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2002, be extended for a period of 3 month(s) from April 4, 2002 to and including July 4, 2002.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$460.00. Please charge the required fee, and any other fees to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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